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SUBJ: LICENSING OF MILITARY RADIOS

1. PHILIPPINE MILITARY IS EVALUATING RADIOS FOR POSSIBLE IN-COUNTRY PRODUCTION. AMONG THOSE COMPETING ARE U.S. COMPANY SOUTHCOM, WHOSE SC130 WOULD BE PRODUCED BY PHILIPPINE COMPANY RADIOWEALTH, AND ISRAELI COMPANY TADIRAN, WHICH WOULD PRODUCE PRC 74, RADIO DEVELOPED IN U.S.

2. SOUTHCOM PRESIDENT SAM ARN HAS INFORMED PRESIDENT OF RADIOWEALTH THAT US GOVERNMENT HAS AUTHORITY AND IS LIKELY TO REFUSE TO LICENSE TADIRAN TO PRODUCE PRC 74 IN PHILIPPINES INASMUCH AS PRC UR WAS DEVELOPED BY HUGHES AIRCRAFT FOR US MILITARY AND IS PRODUCED BY TADIRAN UNDER LICENSE. ARN HAS CLAIMED TO RADIOWEALTH PRESIDENT TO HAVE DISCUSSED MATTER WITH OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON.

3. REQUEST CLARIFICATION AS TO WHETHER LIKELY BASIS EXISTS FOR US GOVERNMENT REFUSAL TO PERMIT TADIRAN PRODUCTION OF PRC 74 RADIO IN PHILIPPINES. ALSO DESIRE KNOW WHETHER PRODUCTION FOR EXPORT FROM PHILIPPINES WOULD BE PERMISSIBLE,

ASSUMING END-USE COUNTRIES WERE ACCEPTABLE.

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